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This listing of claims replaces all prior versions, and listings of claims in the instant application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently amended) A method comprising:
 selecting a first base text from a working document;
 displaying said first base text in a first base text cell
in a first window, wherein said working document is in a second
window;

altering said first base text to a second base text comprising:

changing focus to said second window; and
 selecting said second base text from said working
document;

displaying said second base text in said first base text cell; and

entering a first ruby text into a first ruby text cell.

- 2. (Original) The method of Claim 1 further comprising editing said first ruby text.
- 3. (Original) The method of Claim 1 further comprising adding said first ruby text to said working document.
- 4. (Original) The method of Claim 3 further comprising displaying said first ruby text above said first base text in said working document.
- 5. (Currently amended) The method of Claim 1 wherein said first base text cell and said first ruby text cell are in a is in said first window and wherein said working document is in a second window.

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6. (Original) The method of Claim 5 further comprising changing focus between said first window and said second window.

7. (Canceled)

- 8. (Original) The method of Claim 1 further comprising determining that an automatic ruby determination function is off.
- 9. (Original) The method of Claim 1 wherein said second base text is a portion of said first base text.
- 10. (Original) The method of Claim 1 wherein said working document comprises text.
- 11. (Original) The method of Claim 10 wherein said working document is selected from the group consisting of a text document, a web site, and an image containing some text.
- 12. (Currently amended) A method comprising:
 selecting a first base text from a working document;
 displaying said first base text in a first base text cell
 in a first window, wherein said working document is in a second
 window;

selecting a second base text from said working document;
displaying said second base text in a second base text
cell in said first window;

entering a first ruby text into a first ruby text cell; and

entering a second ruby text into a second ruby text cell.

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13. (Original) The method of Claim 12 further comprising displaying said first base text, said second base text, said afirst ruby text, and said second ruby text in a preview, window.

- 14. (Original) The method of Claim 12 further comprising displaying said first ruby text above said first base text and said second ruby text above said second base text in said working document.
- 15. (Original) The method of Claim 12 further comprising:

selecting a plurality of base texts from said working document comprising said selecting a first base text and said selecting a second base text;

displaying said plurality of base texts in a plurality of base text cells comprising said displaying said first base text and said displaying said second base text; and

entering a plurality of ruby texts in a plurality of ruby text cells comprising said entering a first ruby text and said entering a second ruby text.

16. (Currently amended) A method comprising:
 searching a working document for all occurrences of a base
text;

displaying said all occurrences of a base text in base text cells in a first window, said working document being in a second window;

entering a ruby text into a first ruby text cell; and pasting said ruby text into ruby text cells corresponding with said base text cells, said ruby text cells being in said first window.

17. (Currently amended) A method comprising: selecting a base text from a working document;

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determining that an automatic recognition function is active, wherein, when active, said automatic recognition function detects individual words in said base text and identifies corresponding ruby text;

parsing said base text to detect <u>said</u> individual words; identifying <u>said</u> ruby text corresponding to said individual words; and

displaying said ruby text together with said individual words.

- 18. (Currently amended) A user interface <u>for a computer</u> system comprising:
- a window comprising base text cells and ruby text cells; and

an automatic recognition toggle to activate and deactivate an automatic recognition function, wherein, when active, said automatic recognition function detects individual words in base text and identifies corresponding ruby text.

- 19. (Original) The user interface of Claim 18 further comprising an apply to all button.
- 20. (Currently amended) The user interface the of Claim 18 wherein said window comprises a table comprising said base text cells and said ruby text cells.
- 21. (Currently amended) A computer program product having stored thereon a module for a ruby handling functionality, wherein execution of said module generates a method comprising:

selecting a first base text from a working document;
displaying said first base text in a first base text cell
in a first window, wherein said working document is in a second window;

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altering said first base text to a second base text comprising:

, changing focus to said second window; and selecting said second base text from said working document;

displaying said second base text in said first base text cell; and

entering a first ruby text into a first ruby text cell.

22. (Currently amended) The computer program product of Claim 21 wherein said first base text cell and said first ruby text cell are in a first window and wherein said working document is in a second window, said method further comprising changing focus between said first window and said second window.

23. (Canceled)

24. (Currently amended) A computer system comprising: a memory having stored therein a module for a ruby handling functionality; and

a processor coupled to said memory, wherein execution of said module by said processor generates a method comprising:

selecting a first base text from a working document;

displaying said first base text in a first base text cell in a first window, wherein said working document is in a second window;

altering said first base text to a second base text comprising:

changing focus to said second window; and
 selecting said second base text from said working
document;

displaying said second base text in said first base text cell; and

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entering a first ruby text into a first ruby text cell.

25. (Currently amended) The computer system of Claim 24 wherein said first base text cell and said first ruby text cell are in a first window and wherein said working document is in a second window, said method further comprising changing focus between said first window and said second window.

26. (Canceled)

27. (Original) A method comprising:

selecting a first base text from a working document; displaying said first base text in a first base text cell in a first window, wherein said working document is in a second window;

altering said first base text to a second base text comprising:

changing focus to said second window; and
 selecting said second base text from said working
document;

displaying said second base text in said first base text cell; and

entering a first ruby text into a first ruby text cell in said first window.